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LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Buy the best. Buy DeLuxe—77-1f Pan-Dandy is dandy and handy—44-13-c
D. Bielby is visiting in Detroit this week.
You will find the best bread in Butter Cup wrappers. 02-1f-c
Strand, Sunday—Shirley Mason in "Her Elephant Man."—adv
Dr. Arthur McNabb of St. Louis was an Alma visitor Monday.
Coming—Next Thursday and Friday, "Everywoman," Strand.—adv
C. A. Miller was in Detroit on business the latter part of last week.
Sir Ernest Shackleton's "Bottom of the World"—Strand tonight.—adv
Hear the New Edison phonograph at the Converse jewelry store.—adv
V. P. Cash and son, Paul, spent the week end in Big Rapids with friends.
Converse has the agency for the famous Edison Diamond Disc phonograph.—adv.

Harry Paterson of the Look-Paterson drug store was in Lowell on business Monday.
Dr. E. G. Stryker, osteopathic physician, State Savings Bank Building, Alma, both phones. 57-1f
Calvin Race of Reed City, a former resident of Alma, visited with friends here Saturday.
Miss Huldah Ward who has been spending two weeks in Ann Arbor, has returned to this city.

Ora L. Smith of Ithaca, prosecuting attorney of Gratiot county, was in Alma on business Friday.
Floyd Helman of San Francisco is a guest at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Helman.

The special meeting of Alma Chapter No. 43 O. E. S. called for Friday evening, July 16, has been postponed.

Miss Emma Miller has returned to Alma after having spent two weeks at Hancock, a guest at the home of her parents.

Remember that fresh flowers and roots will be on sale at the Flower Show on Saturday P. M. at Mrs. Francis Kings.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Becker moved from this city to St. Louis the first of the week, where they will make their future home.

William E. Reynolds, city manager, was in Bay City yesterday attending the Michigan State Firemen's Association convention.

I. S. Fink of Columbus, Ohio, was in the city on business the first of the week. He will be remembered as a former Alma resident.

Glenn Rockwell of Rochester, N. Y., spent the week end in this city, a guest at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Rockwell.

Hugh Byers has left for New York and other eastern points on an extended business trip for The Republic Motor Truck Company Inc.

W. J. Baxter of New York, vice president of The Republic Motor Truck Company Incorporated, was in Alma on business over the week end.

Mrs. Charles E. McKinley left the first of the week for Toledo, where she will visit for about two weeks with her mother, and other relatives.

Don't miss the Wizard demonstration to relieve foot trouble at Robinson's Shoe Dept., next Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, July 19, 20 and 21.—adv

H. I. Shepherd of New York City, secretary-treasurer of The Republic Motor Truck Company Incorporated, was in the city on business the first of the week.

Miss Gertrude Benedict entertained about twenty young ladies Saturday afternoon at a miscellaneous shower at her home in honor of Miss Marie Banghart.

Mrs. Rachel M. Osborn of the Masonic Home entertained Mr. and Mrs. A. Kennedy of Grand Rapids for a time last week, while they were enroute to Mt. Pleasant.

An American Legion field day will be held at Riverside park in Saginaw on Saturday afternoon, July 24. Army field games and navy sports will be the chief events of interest.

Otto Sanderhoff, who has been touring the western states since attending the national convention of the Shriners in Portland, Oregon, four weeks ago, has returned to his home.

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Mr. and Mrs. Downey Vought of Akron, Ohio, who have been visiting at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dewitt Vought, for the past two weeks, left Saturday for their home.

Dr. J. N. Day, A. A. Chick, and Verne C. Calkins left Monday for the Two Heart river in the northern peninsula on a fishing trip. The members of the party expect to be gone for about ten days.

A wholesale firm has made a special offer to the Garden Club of Alma on Peony and Iris roots, and an opportunity will be given Saturday at the Public Garden Party (at Mrs. King's) to buy at a generous discount.

Alma firemen, who are in Bay City this week attending the Michigan State Firemen's Association convention are Joseph F. Sartor, Jr., chief; William Moody, Frank E. White, Barton Young, Carl Walters, Harry Orwig, and Caris Sartor.

Frances Willard Union will meet at the City Park Wednesday afternoon, July 21, at 2:30. Besides the regular business a report of the state convention will be given. This will be followed by a pot luck supper and a general social hour. All members are urged to be present at this "feast of reason and flow of soul."

Attorney James A. Greene of Lansing, former resident of Alma, was a visitor here over the week end. It is understood that Greene, a former city attorney here, who is now in the attorney general's office at Lansing, is a candidate at the primaries for the nomination of attorney general on the Republican ticket.

The Second Load.

It takes two trucks to move the average household—one to carry the furniture, and the other to convey the old clothes the housewife gives away as soon as she moves into the new place. —Kansas City Star.

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE
Notice is hereby given that the City Commission at a regular session thereof held at its chambers in the city hall, in the city of Alma, Michigan, June 22nd, 1920, did, by resolution declare its intention to vacate, abolish and set aside the south one rod of Hawley Lane, in said city of Alma, except the alley running north and south across the same; and did by such resolution set July 20th, 1920, at 8 o'clock p. m. of said day, at the chambers of the said City Commission, in the city of Alma, aforesaid, as the time and place of hearing any and all objections relative to the vacating, abolishing and setting aside of said south one rod of said Hawley Lane; now, therefore, any person or persons who have any objection relative to the said contemplated act of the said City Commission may file their objections with the City Clerk of the said city of Alma, and may also so be heard relative thereto on the said 20th day of July, 1920, at 8 o'clock p. m. of said day at the place aforesaid.

Jessie Wolford, City Clerk.

STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Gratiot.
Estate of Frank Gilkin, Deceased.
Phillip W. Cresser, administrator of said estate has filed in this Court his Final Account, and the same will be heard at the Probate Office on the 13th day of August, 1920, at ten o'clock in the forenoon. All persons interested are requested to be present on that day and show cause, if any, why the same should not be allowed. Dated July 12th, 1920.

J. LEE POTTS, Judge of Probate.

STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Gratiot.
Estate of William Lutz, Deceased.
Phillip W. Cresser, administrator of said estate has filed in this Court his Final Account, and the same will be heard at the Probate Office on the 23rd day of July, 1920, at ten o'clock in the forenoon. All persons interested are requested to be present on that day and show cause, if any, why the same should not be allowed. Dated June 28th, 1920.

J. LEE POTTS, Judge of Probate.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION.
STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Circuit Court for the County of Gratiot in Chancery.
Hazel Chevrier, Plaintiff, vs. Lovell Chevrier, Defendant.

Suit pending in Circuit Court for the County of Gratiot, in Chancery, on the 5th day of July, 1920.
In this cause it appearing from affidavit on file, that the defendant is not a resident of the state of Michigan, but that he resides at 17 Lake St., Akron, Ohio.
On motion of James G. Kress, attorney for said plaintiff, it is ordered that the said non-resident defendant, Lovell Chevrier, cause his appearance to be entered in this cause within three months from date of this order; and in case of his appearance he cause his answer to the plaintiff's bill of complaint to be filed, and a copy thereof be served on said attorney for the plaintiff within twenty days after service on said non-resident defendant of a copy of said bill and notice of this order; and that in default thereof said bill be taken as confessed by said non-resident defendant.

And it is further ordered, that within forty days the plaintiff cause a copy of this order to be published in the Alma Record, newspaper printed, published and circulating in said county, and that such publication be continued therein at least once in each week for six weeks in succession, or that she cause a copy of this order to be personally served on said non-resident defendant, at least twenty days before the time above described for his appearance.

EDWARD J. MOINET, Circuit Judge.

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE

Whereas, default having been made in the conditions of a certain real estate mortgage made and executed on the 19th day of September, 1918, by Albert C. Weizel and Berne Weizel, his wife, and Christian J. Scholz and Margaretha Scholz, his wife, of Saginaw, Saginaw county, Michigan, to Henry H. Soule, of Alma, Michigan, which said mortgage was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Gratiot county, Michigan, September 20th, 1918, in Liber 123 of Mortgages on page 640; and which said mortgage, was, on the 28th day of January, 1919, duly assigned by the said Henry H. Soule, to Fred A. Slater and Lera Slater, said assignment being recorded in the office of the said Register of Deeds, on the 1st day of February, 1919, in Liber 118 of Mortgages on page 239; and which said mortgage was assigned by the said Fred A. Slater and Lera Slater, to W. P. Markham and Fannie Markham, on the 2nd day of September, 1919, which said assignment was recorded in the office of the said Register of Deeds, in Liber 118 of Mortgages on page 261; and which said mortgage was assigned by the said W. P. Markham and Fannie Markham on the 4th day of November, 1919, to Bollstrom Motors Inc., a Michigan Corporation, and when said assignment is recorded in the office of the said Register of Deeds in Liber 138 of Mortgages on page 466. And whereas, the amount claimed to be due and unpaid for interest at the date of this notice is the sum of four hundred eighty dollars and eighty-six cents (\$480.86), and in addition thereto an attorney fee and all legal costs as in said mortgage provided, the principal of said mortgage being the sum of five thousand three hundred sixty-three dollars and fifty-six cents (\$5363.61), said principal being due on or before July 13th, 1922, and whereas, no suit or proceeding at law or in equity has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage and which is now due, or any part thereof, now, therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and in pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises therein described, subject to the principal sum thereof to become due as aforesaid, at public auction to the highest bidder, at the north front door of the Court House in the Village of Ithaca, Gratiot county, Michigan on Monday, the 27th day of September, 1920, at nine (9) o'clock in the forenoon of said day, the said Court House being the place of holding the Circuit Court in and for the said county of Gratiot, state of Michigan. The premises described in said mortgage and to be sold as aforesaid, are as follows: "Lot number eighty-four (84), Elmwood Park Subdivision of Arcadia Township, Gratiot County, Michigan," now in, and a part of, the City of Alma, Michigan. Dated, July 1st, 1920.

Bollstrom Motors Inc., a Michigan Corporation, Assignee of Mortgagee James G. Kress, Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee, Business Address, Alma, Michigan. 54-13-c

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Chinese Imperial Salute.
The salutation to the Chinese emperor consisted in the kow tow, an act of prostration and striking the forehead upon the ground while speaking the words which translated meant: "Hail, son of Heaven."
Heard in a Cafe.
Impatient Diner — "Waiter, one would think that salad was a woman, from the time its dressing takes." —Boston Transcript.

Bank Has Special Right.
There is only one national bank in the United States which does not have "National" as a part of its name. It is the Bank of North America, in Philadelphia. A special act of congress is required to permit a national bank to operate as such without indicating the fact that it is a national bank in its name.
Strand, Sunday—Shirley Mason in "Her Elephant Man."—adv

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